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SUBJECT: TRIAL OF DR SUTCH BEGINS

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1. JURY TRIAL OF DR WILLIAM BALL SUTCH BEGAN FEB 17. PROSECUTION CASE AND OPENING TESTIMONY FOLLOWED LINES OF MAGISTRATE'S HEARING REPORTED REFTELS. ONLY SURPRISE HAS BEEN ANNOUNCEMENT THAT FORMER MINISTER OF TRADE AND INDUSTRY AND PRESENT GNZ AMBASSADOR TO ITALY, PHILIP N. HOLLOWAY, WILL APPEAR AS CHARACTER WITNESS FOR SUTCH.

2. TRIAL IS EXPECTED TO TAKE LESS THAN A WEEK. EMBASSY WILL REPORT ANY NEW DEVELOPMENTS AS WELL AS VERDICT. SELDEN

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